

I wanted to comment and state how beneficial XM radio weather and traffic is to me. I travel up and down the east coast and am able to have real time traffic and weather on the spot. FM and AM radio do not provide this service for me. I am also completely in favor of the variety that XM offers. There are channels on XM that would not suit public airwaves. There are channels on XM that would never make money on public radio and the small monthly fee I pay for XM provides the best variety available. I am urging you to reject the National Association of Broadcasters petition 04-160. If they want to compete, they should improve their product.